

## ABSTRACT

A system for acquiring information associated with an industrial operation, the system including in at least certain aspects first generating apparatus for generating first data representative of at least one parameter of an industrial operation (including, but not limited to oilfield operations), the first data generatable in digitized form, second generating apparatus for generating second data related to at least one image of an actual physical aspect of the industrial operation, the second data generatable in digitized form, storage apparatus for storing the first data and the second data, and accessing apparatus for simultaneously accessing the first data and the second data, the second data in certain aspects accessible as sensible audio and/or visual images.